HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 852 By Winningham

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Oneida High School football standout Jake Lowe on the conclusion of an outstanding high school career.

WHEREAS, the Tennessee General Assembly is proud to recognize this state's exemplary athletes, a select group of individuals who work hard, play adroitly and lead their teams to success; and

WHEREAS, Oneida High School senior football sensation Jake Lowe is one such notable athlete, who has been a tremendous credit to his fine school and community; and

WHEREAS, this exceptionally talented and proficient player was chosen to participate in the prestigious Tennessee-Kentucky All-Star football game, the only Oneida High School player so selected; and

WHEREAS, a Union College football signee, Jake was honored as a member of the Associated Press and Tennessee Sports Writers All-State teams; and

WHEREAS, this outstanding linebacker and fullback also received acclaim as the East Tennessee Player of the Year, the Regional Most Valuable Player and the TACA Player of the Year; and

WHEREAS, his team honors included admirable service as captain, the Most Valuable Player designation and the Defensive Award; and

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WHEREAS, his high school coaches, Jimmy May, Jim Burchfield and Keith Henry are universal in praising his strong work ethic, his willingness to make the necessary sacrifices for the good of the team, and his intelligence, dedication and diligence; and

WHEREAS, his parents, Clarence D. and Martha Lowe, have been very supportive; and WHEREAS, it is appropriate that we pause to salute the many accomplishments of Jake Lowe, reflecting fondly on his brilliant high school career; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we honor and congratulate Jake Lowe and wish him well on what we are confident will be an excellent college career.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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